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To: Subst. House Bill No. **5422**

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"AN ACT CONCERNING MINOR REVISIONS TO THE EDUCATION STATUTES."

After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and internal references accordingly:

"Sec. 501. (Effective from passage) (a) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (m) of section 10-145b of the general statutes, for the school year commencing July 1, 2010, those teachers (1) who began in a beginning educator program, pursuant to section 10-145b of the general statutes, revision of 1958, revised to January 1, 2009, but have not completed that program as of July 1, 2009, and participate in the teacher education and mentoring program, pursuant to section 10-145o of the general statutes, as amended by this act, during the 2010-2011 school year, (2) who are not eligible for a provisional educator certificate because such teachers have not completed the teacher education and mentoring program, and (3) whose initial educator certificate is due to be renewed, shall not be responsible for paying the State Board of Education the nonreturnable fee of two hundred dollars

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- 16 for reissuance of such teacher's initial educator certificate.
- 17 (b) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (m) of section 10-18 145b of the general statutes, for the school year commencing July 1, 19 2010, those teachers (1) who began in a beginning educator program, 20 pursuant to section 10-145b of the general statutes, revision of 1958, 21 revised to January 1, 2009, but have not completed that program as of 22 July 1, 2009, and participate in the teacher education and mentoring 23 program, pursuant to section 10-1450 of the general statutes, as 24 amended by this act, during the 2010-2011 school year, (2) who are not 25 eligible for a provisional educator certificate because such teachers 26 have not completed the teacher education and mentoring program, 27 and (3) who have renewed their initial educator certificates prior to the 28 effective date of this section, shall pay to the State Board of Education a 29 nonreturnable fee of seventy-five dollars for a provisional educator 30 certificate upon completion of the teacher education and mentoring 31 program.
- Sec. 502. Subsection (g) of section 10-1450 of the 2010 supplement to the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2010*):
 - (g) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (h) of this section, for the school year commencing July 1, 2010, beginning teachers who hold an initial educator certificate and have not participated in any beginning educator program as of July 1, 2009, shall participate in the teacher education and mentoring programs as follows:
 - (1) Beginning teachers in the following subject areas and endorsement areas shall be required to successfully complete the teacher education and mentoring program in full: Elementary education, English and language arts, mathematics, science, social studies, special education, bilingual education, music, physical education, visual arts, health, world languages and teachers of English as a second language.
- 47 (2) Beginning teachers in any other endorsement area and whose

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48 primary function is providing direct instruction to students shall be

- 49 required to successfully complete one year of mentorship and two
- 50 instructional modules."